DoD Injuries and Occupational Illness Prevention Committee

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DoD Prevention Plan (Original)

- **USD (P&R) Charter**
  - **2 year time frame**
  - **3 focus areas**
    - **Tobacco Use**
    - **Alcohol Abuse**
    - **Unintentional Injuries**
- **Army given lead for Injury Prevention**

Prevention Plan (Current)

- Chaired by AFSG (2 year term)
- Subcommittees
  - Alcohol Abuse and Tobacco Use
  - Injury/Occupational Illness
  - Self-administered Assessment Tools
  - Putting Prevention into Practice
  - Sexually-transmitted Disease Prevention
  - Joint Preventive Medicine Policy Group

PSHPC Update
Dec 99

- **LTG Carlton to assume chair (thru Jan 01)**
- **Outgoing chair requests:**
  - **clarification of Council role in DoD**
  - **Specification of relationship with existing committees/groups**
  - **Include civilian leadership on Council**
- **Relationship of PSHPC to Military & Veterans Health Coordinating Board**
  - **MVHCB created by PRD-5**
  - **Garrison (PSHPC) vs. deployment (MVHCB) settings**
  - **IOIPC & JPMPG to be "dual tasked"**

PSHPC: IOIPC and JPMPG

- **Joint Preventive Medicine Policy Group-maintains global perspective on DNBI surveillance, with emphasis on diseases.**
- **IOIPC-concentrates on traumatic injuries in deployed setting as well as in garrison.**
- **Both report thru MVHCB and PSHPC**

PSHPC

- AF Safety-abundance of DoD Committees to address same issues as IOIPC. (CAPT Murphy).
- ASN (I&E) rep: include safety in acquisition process. (CAPT Murphy to address)

DoD Action Plan to Reduce Injury and Occupational Illness

Goals

A. Reduce frequency and severity of unintentional injury/occupational illness.

B. Provide quality information to decision-makers in support of injury/occupational illness prevention.

C. Implement “best practices” approaches to injury/occupational illness surveillance, research, intervention models, and prevention.

D. Institutionalize continuous support for injury/occupational illness prevention

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- ACTION PLAN AND CHARTER APPROVED
- OSD MEMO: INJURY PREVENTION
- CONVENE INJURY DATA WORK GROUP
- ANNUAL INJURY PROGRESS REPORT COMPLETE
- CUSTOMER DATA RQTS. IDENTIFIED
- DATABASE INVENTORY COMPLETED
- INJURY REDUCTION TARGETS ESTABLISHEI
- DATA INTEGRATION PL COMPLETED
- DATA ISSUES RESOLVED
- LINKAGES OF RELEVAN DATABASES DEVELOPE

ONGOING ISSUES

- PREVENTABLE CLUSTERS OF MVAs IDENTIFIED
- DATA PLAN IMPLEMENTED
- DATA SENSITIVITY AND SPECIFICITY VALIDATED
- DATA GAPS IDENTIFIED

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Injury and Occupational Illness Prevention Committee: Goals C and D

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- LEAD AGENT DESIGNATED
- PLAN IMPLEMENTATION PRIORITIZED
- PRIORITIES FOR RESEARCH AND SURVEILLANCE LISTED
- "BEST PRACTICES" WORK GROUP CONVENED
- BUDGET DEVELOPED
- "OFF-THE-SHELF" STRATEGIES IDENTIFIED
- ANNUAL EVALUATION OF "BEST PRACTICES" TRIAL PROGRAMS
- ANNUAL INJURY PROGRESS REPORT COMPLETE
- BUDGET SUBMITTED
- PRIORITIES FOR RESEARCH AND SURVEILLANCE UPDATE

ONGOING ISSUES

- POLICIES, PUBS, DOCTRINE, INVENTORIED, REVIEWED, AND REVISED

IOIPC Accomplishments

- ☑ Work groups for Goals B and C formed
- ☑ Charter approved
- ☑ Draft report for “Innovative practices” completed
- ☑ Joint Service Safety Chiefs briefed

Injury/Occ Illness Plan Focus

Plan Goals	Motor vehicle injuries	Physical training and sports injuries	Lower back and other occupational injuries	Contingency /deployment
A: Reduce incidence and severity				
B: Quality information				
C: Best practices				
D: Oversight				

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